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Local and

#### Personal Briefs

County School Board meets on Mon-

J. E. Webster of Gainesville was in

town on Monday Mrs. W. A. Allen entertrined a number of friends at cards Saturday

evening. The Board of County Commissionrs meet in regular session on Mon-

day next. Miss Grace Howard spent the past week visiting friends in Daytona and Seabreeze.

Mr. Harry P. Crook of Baltimore, a well-known traveling man, was in the

city on Tuesday. Med Reid spent last Friday and Saturday in Ocala, where he played with that team against Jacksonville.

"Mr. Bob," a two act comedy, will be given at the Putnam on May 13 for the benefit of the DeLand public

The Presbyterian church has purchased the G. S. Mead residence on the Houlevard, and will use it as a parsonage.

While in Deland recently, Mr. Wiley P. Swift purchased the C. P. Williams lot on Michigan avenue. and will at some distant day erect a

home on it. There were 27 convictions at the last term of the Criminal Court, three of which were to the state prison, aggregating 11 years. Fines assessed amounted to \$953, and costs \$601.

The annual city election will be held on May 3. There is but one ticket in the field and little interest is taken in the election. A very light vote will be polled.

Me Democratic primary will be beid just one week from next Tuesinterest is at fever heat throughout the state-but the four weeks between the first and second primary will witness the greatest

Mrs. A. M. Heath entertained a few of her young friends in the city and university at her home on Michigan avenue Monday evening. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all present. John Benry turnished music and entertained the company with his guitar and souge. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tagior; Misses Emery, Brown. Irma and Amy Mann: Messrs. Rob Bond, Allen, Heimberger and Oates.

Bert Fish, county superintendent. returned on Saturday from a visit to Daytona and Ormond, where he went to look after his political interests. He found everything running smoothly. Bert Fish is one of the most competent school officials in the state—a young man of exemplary habits; a faithful public servant, whose efforts on behaif of the tax payers and children of the county must be appreciated.

Samuel D. Jordan, clerk of the Circuit Court will have no opposition be-fore the primary. Sam Jordan at-tends strictly to business, is willing for others to have opinions, and attends to the duties of his office in a conscientious manner. It is especially pleasing to Volusia county people to know that he will fill this office for the next four years without opposi-

John M. Oliver of Orlando, who intends to build a long distance telephone line connecting Jacksonville Green Cove, Platka, Sevile. DeLcon, DeLand, Sanford. Orlando, Lakeland, Kissimmee, Bartow, Tampa and St. Petersburg, was in DeLand several days the first of the week, and made a short but pleasant call at THE NEWS office. Mr. Oliver is a bustler and is hard at work getting up stock for his line. He proposes to take half the stock and to sell the balance to people along the route, who will be allowed to pay for their stock in poles

aeeaeaeaeaeeaea Fewer gallons; wears longer. Devoe. Marsh Bros.-Phone 68-call us up for anything wanted from a first-class

> O. H. Davis leaves on Monday for a short business trip to Tampa and that section of the state.

Godfrey Dreka, who has been with his aunt in Washington two years of longer, returned home this week and is now assisting in his father's stores.

For Sale-Good, gentle family horse. suitable for children and old people Also tenement renting for \$2 per month. Will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to Mrs. J. T. Clake.

The last meeting of the Ladies Guild of St. Barnabas church will be held at the home of Mrs. Bigelow on Tuesday next. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. Lin Heimberger arrived in De-Land from Lake City, where he is teaching, the first of the week, to spend a few days visiting his brother, the handsome Ted Heimberger.

The A. C. Line will sell round-trip tickets to Tampa next week, on account of the May Festival, at one fare, plus 25c, for the round trip. Tickets will be sold on the 2nd, 3d. 4th and 5th with return limit May 8.

Chas. Campbell, Jr., has ordered a motor-cycle. and in a few weeks will be out trying for new records. He is ordering it early so as to get used to it by the races at Ormond next winter.

The Putnam House closes tomorrow after the most prosperous season that it has had for many years. Mr. Gould will keep control of the house, which will probably be opened again about December lat.

Mr. Brill begs to say that he has just received his largest and finest just of hosiery on record; price 10c to 50c a pair, sace and plain, black and white. All latest styles and exceptional values.

Atty. James E. Alexander, who has been campaigning throughout this d strict, ceturning home Tuesday evening. Jim Alex will receive a very flattering vote from his home people on May 10.

Mr. Eugene Durand, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. A. M. Heath, will return to Chicago tomorrow. He expects to enter Andover next fall to prepare for Harvard.

Mrs. A. M. Heath and family left yesterday for Chicago, after spend-ing the winter in DeLand. They will return next fall for a short visit, but will come down again for the winter about January 1.

A. Meyer, who has had charge of Cannons' stable all winter, will leave tomorrow for Raleigh, N. C., where he has accepted a position as traveerature and Arts, of Washington.

Dr. Frederic Pasco, presiding elder of the East Coast District, Florida Conference, will preach and administer the Communion at the M. E. church, South, next Sunday morning. The Second Quarterly Conference for this church will be held on Monday evening. May 2d. Other announcements will be made in due time. All are invited to hear Dr. Pasco.

Read Taliaferro's adv. on Pages 4

Call up Phone 68 and get your fresh meats delivered at your door. Marsh

Wanted-Good horse and vehicle to keep for the summer. C.O.Codrington.

Atty. J. Hall Brumsey. candidate for the Legislature, has an attractive adv. on Page 6. Look it up.

The residence of J. M. Chauvin, northeast of town, was burned to the ground Monday afternoon.

J. M. Barre and George Crawford of Jacksonville, visited Myrtle Lodge last night. Mr. Crawford, who was a pioneer of DeLeon Springs, has been renewing acquaintances in that sec

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#### IN INTEREST OF PRODUCERS.

Bearst Bill to Prevent Railread Diserimination in Pavor of Trusts.

Representative William Randolph Hearst has introduced an interstate commerce bill in congress which designs to prevent unjust discrimination by transportation companies in favor of trusts and against producers of farm products and manufactured articles. This bill is of the greatest importance to the farmers of the country in that it will limit the exactions placed upon producers by traffic com-

The bill provides for the creation of an "interstate commerce court." which will have jurisdiction over all questions affecting interstate commerce and give effect to orders of the interstate commerce commission. Under Its provisions the interstate commerce commission will, after investigation, have authority to fix rates in lieu of unjust and unreasonable rates established by transportation companies.

One of the important features of the Hearst act is a provision which will effectively prevent discrimination in the allotment of freight cars to shippers. The withholding of cars from points and shippers not in favor with the railroad managers and the granting of adequate service to the Standard Oil, the coal and the steel trusts have been one of the constant and efficient methods of unfair discrimination. The Hearst bill will stop this.



BIS "TAKING" WAY.

Trusts Pear Hourst. The trusts and the so called business interests of the country are afraid of Roosevelt because they do not know what he may do. They are afraid of Hearst because they know what he will do; hence they are moving beaven and earth to induce the Democrats to nominate some man on whose favor they may surely rely. This is the situation in a nutshell.-Tyler (Tex.) Dem-

"Hearst Against the Field." William Randoiph Hearst's candidacy for president has advanced so far that It's now a question between

"Hearst and the fleid." What a shaking up Hearst has given a lot of old dry bones who jeered at the very suggestion of Hearst's name nine months ago!-Seattle Times.

War Proverb.

There is an old German proverb which says. "A war leaves three armies behind it-ap army of widows, an army of cripples and an army of thieves."

Sharks Meance Pish Industry. A species of shark, known as "dogfish." has become so numerous along

the shores of New England that the

fish industry is seriously menaced. Setting and Buying. The department of commerce and labor recently published the statement that the average cost of living in Amer-

ten has increased 16 2-3 per cent. This statement is based undoubtedly on wholesale market quotations. Since Nov. 1, 1903, there has been an average reduction of wages throughout the manufacturing centers of the east of 10 to 20 per cent. Flour and other foodstuffs have increased in price since

the same date. The price of newspapers in the great cities has been reduced two-thirds in afteen years. The cost of producing them has increased. "Notwithstanding these conditions," says William Ran dolph Hearst, "my papers pay handsome profits, and wages are higher and the hours of toil reduced."

#### Letter to T. L. Dean, Deland, Fig.

Dear Sir:-There are several ways of cheating in milk. An oid-fashioned way is to water it. Nobody waters it now. A better way is to take out the cream-rich milk with the cream taken out is as good as poor milk with the cream all in.

But we needn't go into particulars. You don't rob your milk and your

Paint is as easy as milk to cheat with. Good paint is as rare as good milk; for human nature is much the

same in milkmen and paint men. You are just and true with your milk; so are we with our paint. Devoe lead-and-sinc is twice as good as mixed paints: There's twice as much

Mr. J. T. Ladd, Cheraw, S. C., writes: "When Mr. Evans painted his house with Devoe, he figured on how much other paints covered and had enough left to paint three large rooms. He was so pleased that he has used Devoe on two other houses."

Yours truly, F. W. DEVOR & Co., P. S .- Geo. W. Fisher sells our paint. | Phone 8.

Barbecue at

#### DeLeon Springs 0000000000000000000000000

VERY successful political meeting was held at DeLeon Springs yesterday. The day was perfect. About 300 per sons were present to partake of the sumptuous dinner prepared under the direction of Col. U. M. Bennett. The meat was "cooked to a turn" and was relished by the crowd. Arrangements had been made to entertain a thousand people, but not more than 500 were present during the day, many coming afterdinner.

Dr. Tanner presided over the meeting in his usual graceful manner. Talks were made by Judge Hilburn of Palatka, representing R. W. Davis; J. E. J. Marsh and J. Hall Brumsey, and the five candidates for Congress -Messrs. Barrs, Watson, Clark, Alexander and Dougherty. The addresses were confined along parliamentary lines, and were well received by the crowd. All were given close attention and were applauded liber-

#### Senior Academy Class Entertained.

The Senior Academy Class en joye its social debut at the home of Mr. Fred Botts, the class president, on Friday evening. The time was pleasautly spent in playing games and listening to delightful music and pleasant chat Dainty refreshments were served; the white cakes with green " '04" were a pleasing novelty. It was a late hour before anyone made the motion to adjourn, and many remarked how quickly the evening had passed. Those present were: Misses Hamlin, Hampton, Fuller, Porter, Walker, Jackson, Mix. Boucheile and Fish; Messrs. Botts, Winsor, Chaffer, Mitchell, Leitner, Stevens, Knox and Sparkman.

#### Wanted Telephone Poles.

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#### Attention, Veterans

Regular meeting of Loring Camp. No. 1528, U. C. V., and election of ofdeers for ensuing year at DeLand. Tuesday, May 3, next. By order of W. S. Thaver, Commander.

U. M. BENNETT, Adjutant.

Have you a floor paint that will last two weeks?" Yes, we have DeVoe's: it has a beautiful gloss and will wear two years if properly applied. Geo. W. Fisher.

How to Avoid Tobacco Cancer. "If you wish to avoid tobacco can-

cer do not smoke fast." was the injunction given by a physician recently. He said it had been ascertained that the form of cancer which afflicts the mouths of smokers is caused by irritation from the heat of the cigar or pipestem. This physician thought the nicotine had little or nothing to do with it. He said those who had cancer as the result of smoking are invariably those who smoke much and particularly those who smoke fast, heating the tongue and the lips by the pipestem or the stub of the cigar. In fact, he said, it was mostly cigar and cigarette smokers who are afflicted with these malignant growths.

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Votes Show Popularity.

Election returns are true measures of a man's personal or political popularity. In districts where all elements shows the esteem in which candidates are held. The Eleventh congressional district of New York is a typical, representative cosmopolitan community Within its boundaries is part of the west side, whose residents work hard; part of Fifth avenue, where wealth and ease abound, and part of the

Broadway business section. This is the district that elected Wil-Greater New York. The figures are night interesting. Representative Hearst received 26,958 votes, 16,112 more than his Republican opponent. The same ticket, would have elected a Demoeratic governor of the Empire state. Mr. Hearst's majority was 6,000 greater than Mayor McClellan's one year later, and the same precincts gave Mr. Hearst 3,000 more votes than Judge Alton B. Parker received, and the latter had the advantage in that the Republicans did not nominate any one against him.

In thirty-six years Alaska has produced in gold, furs and fish \$150,000. church. 000. The revenues and taxes collected by the government since the purchase of the territory from Russia amount to \$8,000,000.

#### CHURCH SERVICES.

Presbyterian Church

Services on the Sabbath will conform to the program of the Christian Endeavor convention. The pastor's morning theme will be, "A of society are resident the canvass Company of Prophets and their Mission". All visitors and friends are cordially welcome.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday

Senior Lengue at 6:45. J. E. Mickier, pastor. 52 Barnabas Episcopal Church

school at 10:00 a.m., Junior League at 3: 0 p.m.

St. Barnabas church, Sunday, May 1-Vis tution of Right Rev. Bishop Gray, and confirm ailam Rendolph Hearst as its represent, tion. Children's services at 10 a.m.; the at ative in congress by the largest major- celebration of Holy Communica, with a reity ever given to a representative in firmation and sermon, il am No service at

#### First M. E. Church.

On Sunday. May 1, a series of revival meetings will be gin. They will be conducted by percentage given to Bird S. Coler, the Rev. Wm. A. Wiseman, a noted evangeli t candidate for governor on the same from DesMoines. In He has had a wide experience, having labored in thirty different States and Territories of the United States. He is an earnest and able speaker. The public are cordially invited to hear him. Services will be held every night during the week at 7:30 o'elock.

#### First Baptist Church.

Services in the Baptist church on Sunday will be as usual at 11 a. m. The pastor will preach on the text: "Keep thy heart, for out of it are the issues of life," In the evening there will be a union service at the Christian

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